

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 513

By Baird

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Justin McKamey, 2003  
Valedictorian of Stony Fork School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Justin McKamey is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2003 graduating class at Stony Fork School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Justin has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, he has earned an exemplary grade point average; and

WHEREAS, in addition to this stellar academic achievement, Justin has also been involved in a number of activities throughout his high school career; he has served as a member of the Junior School Board and as a member of the Annual staff, and he has been active in his church youth group; and

WHEREAS, he has displayed his remarkable athletic abilities as a member of the intramural basketball team; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades, Justin has been recognized with academic awards from the Daughters of the American Revolution and the *Knoxville News-Sentinel*; and

WHEREAS, his noteworthy accomplishments are a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Jimmy and Marilyn McKamey, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Justin's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success, particularly as he enters college this fall; and

WHEREAS, Justin McKamey's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2003 Stony Fork School Valedictorian, Justin McKamey, on his impressive academic achievement, and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.